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Serial No.: 09/508,03**2** Filed: March 6, 2000

For: COMPOSITION ATTRACTIVE TO INSECTS PERTAINING TO THE COLEOPTERA ORDER AND ITS APPLICATION TO PEST CONTROL IN PALM TREES AND RELATED PLANTS

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## REQUEST FOR REFUND AND SUBMISSION OF SMALL ENTITY DECLARATION

In absence of the Notification of Missing Requirements, enclosed herewith is an inventor's Declaration.

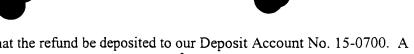
Pursuant to the Notice in the Official Gazette dated February 15, 1983, it is requested that a refund be granted in the amount of \$315.00 (see the attached calculation sheet), the amount overpaid on March 6, 2000 for filing the above application.

The verified statements claiming small entity status of the inventor and assignee are enclosed.

Also submitted is a copy of the documents cited in the International Search Report.

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It is requested that the refund be deposited to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

## EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), mailed May 3, 2000, we have previously submitted the Inventors' Declaration (copy enclosed) and paid the required fees on April 26, 2000 as evidenced by the attached copy of a postcard stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

In the event the actual fee is greater than the payment submitted or is inadvertently not enclosed or if any additional fee during the prosecution of this application is not paid, the Patent Office is authorized to charge the underpayment to Deposit Account #15-0700.

If this communication is filed after the time period had elapsed and no separate

Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R.

§1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

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